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				Art Unit 3636	
Applicant(s): Keiji Furukawa					
Invention: AUTOMOBILE SEAT BELT STRUCTURE AND ASSIST APPARATUS THEREOF					
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated September 17, 2004 (Paper No. 091504), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.